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Miss Stephanie Novicky is winner of this year's Chicagoland Music Festival piano contest. She played for 95,000 people at Soldiers' field on the night of August 17

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TWO YEARS OF A PRINTED VILTIS

After two years in a mimeographed form, VILTIS made its appearance in printed form two years ago in September; it was sent out from the lovely city of Fairhope, Alabama. When VILTIS was mimeographed, it was distributed gratis; readers were mainly lads in the service. The mimeographing was done (except for four issues) by Mrs. Joseph Payson, now instructor at Pendle Hill, a Quaker college in Pennsylvania. The printing was made possible through the contribution of individuals, and it still continued sending copies gratis to all readers. With last September, we inaugrated the subscriptional system of \$2.00 yearly. Our printers in Fairhope were the Gastons of the Fairhope Courier. In Chicago the paper is printed by Al Valas and his dad.

A LARGE XMAS ISSUE . . .

Christmas is around the corner. As in past years, we want the Christmas and anniversary issues to be the largest of each year. With passing years, wehope to increase the size of each special issue. In order to do that we turn to our friends, asking their aid in form of additional subscriptions and congratulatory ads. Since it is read mostly by your friends, VILTIS would prove a good medium for extending your holiday wishes to them. We shall have a special column for Xmas greetings to your friends, 25 cents for each name. Larger space will be available according to the amount of money sent in; from a dollar up. Please send in your greetings as soon as possible, and let us make the next Xmas issue the best yet. Material and pictures galore from allover the world are being gathered to make that issue one of the finest ever . . . Vyts.

SHANA TOVA . . .

September 26th will usher in the Jewish New Year (Rosh Ha'Shana) of 5707 according to Hebrew reckoning. The past few years have been very disastrous to the Jewish people. Six million Jews were slaughtered under very cruel conditions. VILTIS extends its sincerest wishes to the Jewish people that the year 5707 will indeed be a Shana Tova (A happy year) with many more to follow, for "Saith thy God: For a small moment have I forsaken thee; but with great compassion will I gather thee. In a little wrath I hid my face from thee for a moment; but with everlasting kindness will I have compassion on thee, Saith the Lord thy Redeemer." Isaiah 6:7-8.

WATER!

The Chicago papers carried in their headlines the glad tidings: "Water to taste like water next year". That means less bad taste in the mouths of the drinkers; they'll no more have to hold their nose while they "refresh" themselves with Chicago water, and let's hope, less stomach aches.

I still recall how a few years ago, I asked one of my cousins if she went swimming in Lake Michigan. She replied: "Why, how can one swim in those filthy waters? You only drink it!" An enormous filtration plant will THE NEXT ISSUE O "V I L T I S WILL EXPIRE -- RENI be installed next spring on 79th St. and the Lake. Mazal

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THE CHIQUIMADA



This ancient masted boat can be seen in Mobile Bay causeway on the Fairhope side of the Bay, a land mark of that section of the country. Prof. F. M. Goodhue, formerly an instructor at the Organic School and now editor of the Southern Masonic Weekly published in Mobile, wrote a poem about this interesting boat.

BABIES



A son, weighing 8 lbs. 7 oz., arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Vaivada on July 30th, named Anthony John. Papa Tony was a Captain in the Army serving in the European front lines and won many medals of recognition for meritious service. He is one of the editors of the Lithuanian daily, "Naujienos" (News), where Milda (nee Baronas) worked in secretarial capacity. Both are American born and both speak and write excellent Lithuanian. To the Vaivadas and little Tonuks, "Ilgiausiu Metu!"



PROUD PARENTS

Nancy Carol Dulys gave Kazy and Lil the rush around when she decided to appear six weeks out of scheduled date. No doubt she wanted to see what life in an incubator would be. She made a rather snappy job of it and came fast on Sunday, August 11th, at 6:50 P. M., weighing 4 lbs., 71/2 oz. Papa, Mama and little baby girl doing fine. Congratulations from all of your friends and VILTIS.